

In re Application of:

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For: Bandwidth Reducing Memory

Controller Including Scalable

Embedded Parallel Data

Compression and

Decompression Engines

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3.		Consideration of the following additional information (including any co-pen or abandoned U.S. applications, prior uses and/or sales, etc.) is requested:							g	
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